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## LAFEAN SEES SUCCESS OF LINCOLN WAY

At Banquet Given in Honor of Congressman Lafean He Says that Lincoln Way Bill will Pass this Congress. Broke Ground for New Building.

The breaking of ground for the handsome new federal building and the definite promise that by the end of the second session of the 62nd Congress a bill would be passed providing for the Lincoln Memorial Highway from Washington to Gettysburg, signaled the events of Monday evening when the citizens of Gettysburg irrespective of party affiliations, united to show their appreciation of the efforts of Congressman Lafean for this town and community.

The ground breaking ceremonies were witnessed by a large crowd which assembled about the stand erected on the site of the building. Judge Swope presided and in opening the program called attention to the duty the government had owed Gettysburg and to the success of Mr. Lafean in making the government see and perform that duty. Dr. Singmaster spoke of the new building as "architecturally, the crowning glory of this community" and declared that every house and building to be erected here in the future would be more or less influenced by the character of the handsome federal structure.

The breaking of ground followed music by the Citizens' Band. With a new and highly polished spade, decorated with the national colors, Mr. Lafean tossed the first spadeful of dirt into a wagon drawn up for the purpose by William Hemler. As the heavy earth fell with a thud the crowd showed its approval with applause. Dr. J. W. C. O'Neal, G. W. Weaver and several Grand Army veterans each added a spadeful while later in the evening others were also given an opportunity.

Mr. Lafean spoke briefly, telling of his appreciation of the testimony given by the people of Gettysburg in attending the ground breaking ceremonies. He said that A. B. Stannard the contractor, in a recent letter to him had declared the building to be erected here would be "the prettiest, the neatest building erected in the United States for governmental purposes." The speaker referred to his disappointment when it was feared the building would not be of marble and of his gratification at being able finally to give the town what it wanted and deserved. "The Star Spangled Banner" concluded the program.

### THE BANQUET

The banquet given in Mr. Lafean's honor at Hotel Gettysburg under the direction of the Retail Merchants' Association was attended by almost one hundred business and professional men of the town. The supper itself was elaborate and specially well prepared. The large number who surrounded the tables made up what was perhaps the most representative gathering of Gettysburg men which has assembled for many years.

H. T. Weaver was toastmaster for the evening and introduced for the first toast Hon. William McSherry whose subject was "Our Guest and a Retrospect." Mr. McSherry paid a glowing tribute to Mr. Lafean in both private and public life speaking of him as "one of the most useful congressmen in the country" and declaring "We have never had as faithful and true a representative in Congress in my time as we have in Daniel F. Lafean. We Democrats have come to the conclusion that we can't beat Mr. Lafean in this district and one of these days we will call a meeting—Bill Kapp and the rest of us—and then we'll say to the Republicans 'We want Dan Lafean to be the next Republican candidate for Governor of Pennsylvania' and if he ever gets the nomination and is elected he will make one of the best governors this state has ever had." Prolonged applause followed.

Judge Swope with the toast "Our Guest and Today" declared "Daniel F. Lafean is a greater and a better man today than ever in his life—better able now and hereafter to represent this district than ever before." In speaking of the Mr. Lafean of today Judge Swope referred to the Gettysburg of today in most complimentary terms speaking specially of the public schools and the sewerage system while he told of an expenditure of \$30,000 to be made by the Gettysburg Water Company within the next few months in order to increase their supply.

President Granville spoke of the unanimity of feeling for Congressman Lafean by people of all parties which he found upon making Gettysburg his home and spoke of this as the ideal condition—a people uniting in support of a satisfactory public servant no mat-

ter what might be his political faith. Dr. Granville's subject was "Today's Outlook for Tomorrow" and he dwelt at some length upon the future of Gettysburg. He called attention to the efforts necessary if the town is to be made a town in keeping with its handsome surroundings. "Practically nothing of which Gettysburg now boasts has come to it through the efforts of its own citizens," said the speaker. "The institutions, it is true, were started by local parties but have not been kept up by them. The battlefield and even this new federal building are the work of other than Gettysburg people." He then entered upon a severe arraignment of the streets and pavements of the town. Dr. Granville was vigorously applauded upon the conclusion of his speech as had been the others who preceded him.

### MR. LAFEAN'S ADDRESS

Mr. Lafean's speech was the big event of the evening and for forty five minutes he held the rapt attention of his auditors. He showed his policy in public life when he said "When a man is elected to Congress from a certain district he is not to represent the party of which he is a member. He is sent to represent the entire people. That has always been the principle upon which I worked. No one can truthfully say that I ever turned down the request of a constituent because politically he held views different from my own." In a most interesting manner Mr. Lafean then told all the details of his unusual feat in carrying through the extra \$17,000 appropriation that the new building might be marble and that the coping about the structure might be of granite instead of concrete. All sorts of obstacles were encountered but "by keeping everlastingly at it" the happy consummation was reached.

Mr. Lafean then took up the possibilities of the Lincoln Way project. "The Lincoln Way is now more of a possibility than ever before," he said, "Before the close of the second session of the Sixty Second Congress—and I measure my words—you will find the passage of the bill creating the Lincoln Way. When I first introduced the project five years ago it had few supporters,—people thought the idea too gigantic—but now all is changed. On this side we have the Grand Army and on the other the good road advocates all working for the Lincoln Way. Speaker Cannon, long a strong opponent of the project, told me within the last few weeks that he now favors it."

"This summer a systematic campaign will be carried on in every state in the Union for the Lincoln Way. Every section will be flooded with literature bearing on the subject and no congressman will dare go back to Washington in December and vote against the bill. After the completion of the Lincoln Way there will be opened in Gettysburg a handsome hotel. I refer to a project launched last year by a company formed in New York."

Mr. Lafean said that when the report of the commission appointed to submit a design for a fitting Lincoln memorial in Washington would be made in December and a bill drafted, the bill presented would carry an amendment providing that such memorial be the entrance to the Lincoln Way. The most vigorous applause of the evening greeted Mr. Lafean's remarks and the banquet ended with three cheers for Congressman Lafean and three more for the Lincoln Way.

The following attended the banquet: Congressman Lafean, Postmaster S. S. Lewis, York; Dr. W. A. Granville, Hon. S. McC. Swope, Hon. William McSherry, Hon. D. P. McPherson, Dr. J. A. Singmaster, Rev. Prof. C. F. Sanders, Wm. Arch McClean, Major C. A. Richardson, Colonel E. B. Cope, Hon. Thomas Garvin, Prof. H. Miller, Hon. T. H. Bingham, S. M. Bream, H. T. Weaver, T. J. Winebrenner, J. A. Cox, C. A. Blocher, C. Wm. Beales, R. C. Miller, Mark K. Eckert, J. William Garlach, George L. Keiffer, Calvin Gilbert, H. B. Bender, C. S. Reaser, Charles H. Wilson, J. Frank Hartman, William D. Armer, Max Davis, U. Ambrosi, John W. McIlhenny, Mr. Fantini, William B. McIlhenny, John C. Lower, Pius A. Miller, W. S. Adams, Dr. J. P. Dalbey, Robert E. Wible, Charles K. Gardner, L. M. Alleman, David L. Plank, Calvin K. Gilbert, George E. Stock, C. B. Redding, Hon. William H. Tipton, John W. Crowe, Dr. C. N. Gitt, William F. Codori, John W. Brehm, Irvin L. Taylor, Edgar A. Crouse, P. W. Stallsmith, W. S. Schroeder, J. Donald Swope, Prof. J. Louis Sowers, Dr. E. H. Markley, John Slentz, Frank D. Blocher, J. Watson Dickson, George P. Black, Elmer E. Slaybaugh, James McIlhenny, Jesse Snyder, W. F. Gilliland, S. J. Waltman, Norman Storrick, Dr. E. D. Hudson, W. M. Conover, H. James Weikert, Charles Williams, J. B. Wineman, George W. Rex, I. H. Moore, Henry Garlach, P. C. Stock, Norton C. Miller, F. Mark Bream, Eugene Schriver, Maurice S. Weaver, Grover C. Bream.

FOR SALE: sixty white Leghorn hens. H. J. Rhine

## OPENING OF TOWN SCHOOLS

Supervising Principal Burgoon Tells of Arrangements and Gives Assignment of Pupils to Various Rooms.

Prof. W. A. Burgoon has given out the following news concerning the opening of the local schools.

The public schools of Gettysburg will open next Monday, September 4. As it is Labor Day there will be only one session the first day. The teachers of the town will meet next Friday afternoon at half past one at the High School building to talk over plans for the year's work. A course of study and catalogue of the schools has been published and will be ready for distribution at the time of the opening of the schools. A copy will be given to all the pupils of the advanced grades. It is desired that a copy of this manual be in the hands of all the patrons of the schools and those who do not thus receive it may have a copy upon application to the principal. A copy will also be sent to all the High School graduates whose names appear therein. A recent reply from the State Department informs us that the state law regarding vaccination remains unchanged and that it will be enforced as heretofore.

On Saturday morning, September 2, from half past eight till twelve the Supervising Principal will be at the High School building for the purpose of assigning to proper schools pupils who have recently moved to Gettysburg or who may have lived here but have been attending private schools. All pupils from the townships who desire to enter any of the schools and have not already notified the principal should likewise present themselves at this time.

Following is the assignment of teachers and pupils to their respective grades below the High School:

### MADE SCHOOL

Principal, Miss Rummel, Eighth Grade. Alma Andrews, Edna Bowers, Ruth Fagen, Mary Galbraith, Mary Radisill, Nannie Radisill, Edith Swift, Edward Woodward and entire class of thirty two who were promoted from Miss Benner's Seventh Grade.

Miss Benner, Seventh and Eighth Grades. Eighth Grade, entire class of sixteen who were promoted from Miss Miller's Seventh Grade. Seventh Grade, Clarence Crouse, John Noel, Palmer Staley, Thomas Hummelbaugh, William Kendeheart, Clarence Eppley, Earl Stroup, Ella Mae Hillman, Edgar Green, and class of eight who were promoted from Miss Miller's Sixth Grade.

Miss Miller, Seventh Grade. Edna Heagy, Edna Leach, Louise Kappes, Herbert Oyler, Luella Paxton, Franklin Swope, William Tawney, Mary Walker, Walter Sykes, Harry Walter, Howard Armer and entire class of twenty eight promoted from Miss Hamilton's school.

Miss Major, Fifth and Sixth Grades. Sixth Grade, Lloyd Gilbert, Edgar Shealer, Monroe Weiser, Carlton Mumper, Hazel Stape, Henry Bream, Charles Sterner, Carrie Riddle, Amy Dally, Bonnylin Gilbert, Wilda Holtzworth, Ella Mae Hillman, Edgar Green, and class of eight who were promoted from Miss Scott's Third Grade except Curtis Heagy. Third Grade, William Beatty, Charles Klinger, Morris Steinour, Ervin Warner, Anna Belle Weikert, Mildred Bittle, Kirk Brown, Wilmer Hankey, Hadley Heindel, Bernetta Lott, Edward McPherson, Helen Tennant, Mildred Hartzel, Catherine Stallsmith, Ruth Stallsmith, Madylin Roth, Herbert Raymond, Teddy Stape.

The High street school assignment will be given in tomorrow's Times.

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BETHANY private school will open Monday, September 4th. Parents desiring to send their children call or write to the teacher, Miss Luella McAllister, 30 East High street.

## LAST SESSION OF CHAUTAUQUA

Successful Chautauqua Comes to Close with Comparatively Small Deficit. Next Year's Summer Assembly Assured.

With its Monday evening session the Gettysburg Chautauqua of 1911 came to a close, the hundreds who have attended feeling that the ten days were an unqualified success and that the innovation was one of the best things the town has ever had. Next year will see another and a better assembly, the necessary five hundred tickets having been pledged and the directors having chosen Dr. Scorer as superintendent for several more years. It is hoped that a new building may house next year's meetings which will be held July 27 to August 5.

This year's sessions, though not a success financially, will show less of a deficit when all accounts are settled than was originally calculated and the management feels very well satisfied with the result. It is firmly believed that the Chautauqua will later prove a self sustaining institution and that it will be a financial as well as an educational benefit to the community.

Monday evening's session was largely attended, the crowds which journeyed to the tent during the first few days continuing to the end. The Chautauqua choir led by I. L. Taylor gave a half hour program assisted by Miss Ruth Clutz and Miss Hans who sang solos.

Dr. William A. Granville was introduced by Dr. Scorer to make the closing address of Gettysburg's first Chautauqua. Dr. Granville dealt with work as an educational benefit, saying that "education is not only for the purpose of gaining a livelihood, but to enable us to enjoy life and perform the duties which are given us to do. Everything that goes to make up a man or woman is what we mean by education. The most important work for all to do is to teach and, naturally then, we must accept teaching ourselves so that we may be better fitted to perform our parts."

Dr. Billheimer was introduced as Dean of the Gettysburg Chautauqua Summer School and made a short address, on the possibilities of the new institution. In closing he first commended the men who started the movement and toiled so diligently for its success. We are indebted to the lecturers and entertainers who have helped to enlighten our people and thirdly the Chautauqua owes its success to the people of the community who have given such loyal financial and other support.

Rev. L. Dow Ott said in brief that the movement means more to this town and community than any other institution ever established here. We can all live in hope of the materialization of the plans now under consideration by the Board.

Rev. F. E. Taylor, of the Presbyterian church, congratulated the people on taking up the work offered through the Chautauqua as a source of higher intellectual and moral advancement. "Enthusiasm means Success, and Success is sure to come with such support as has been demonstrated by our people."

After the speakers had finished their complimentary talks, the Philadelphia Concert Company gave the remainder of the entertainment. The company which made an excellent impression will be part of this year's college course.

### COURT NEWS

Eli Caplin, arrested here on Memorial Day charged with pocket picking, was this morning found guilty on the charge of larceny. Two cases had been brought against him. He was acquitted Monday on the one charge George J. Benner, Esq., of Gettysburg, and Louis S. Ashman, Esq., of Baltimore, represented the defendant. District Attorney Neely conducted the case for the Commonwealth.

Caplin will likely come up for sentence on Saturday and it is understood that a number of other defendants will plead guilty at that time. Many of the criminal cases have been continued and Court has adjourned until Saturday morning.

Final action was taken changing the name of Berwick Borough to Abbotstown.

Ella M. Weaver was granted a divorce from John Weaver.

Divorce proceedings were instituted by Mabel Baker wife of Peter L. Baker and by Bulah Dennis, wife of Harvey Dennis.

The Conewago Independent School District was established and the following directors appointed: Henry Moul and E. K. Wolf for two years; J. K. Hoover and James W. Hildebrand for four years; L. C. Gentzler for six years.

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## PERSONAL NOTES AND BRIEF ITEMS

Paragraphs of News Telling of the Happenings in and about Town. People Visiting here and those Sojourning Elsewhere.

Miss Dora Krebs, of Washington, a graduate nurse of the George Washington University hospital, is visiting at the home of her brother, Wilson W. Krebs, on West Middle street.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry A. Allen, of Warren, Tennessee, and daughter, Miss Nettie, of Galesburg, Illinois, spent several days with James McIlhenny and family, of near Knoxlyn.

Mrs. A. Strang, of Haddon Heights, N. J., and Miss Minnie Dennis, of York, are visiting Robert King.

Mrs. M. F. Rebert and Miss Jennie Howard, have returned home after a week's trip to Newport and Harrisburg.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Harvey D. Bream Saturday at 2:30 o'clock.

Miss Aouda Duttera who has been spending some time with friends in Detroit, has returned home. Mrs. Procter accompanied her here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank T. Crouch and son, of Baltimore, are spending the week with Charles Little.

Mrs. Maggie Meals and daughter, Mrs. Edith Liting, have returned to York after visiting at the home of Charles Little.

Miss Aurelia Hornberger who has been visiting Miss Ruth Faber, has returned to her home in Littlestown.

Otto Rasche, of Cincinnati, Ohio, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Garlach, on Chambersburg street.

Robert Schnitzer has returned to Westminster after spending several days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Myers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Hershey attended the Hershey reunion at Rocky Springs, Lancaster County.

Miss Anna Bowen, of Baltimore, is visiting at the home of her cousins, the Misses Kendeheart, on West Middle street.

Rev. Joseph B. Baker spent Monday in Harrisburg on business.

Mrs. R. V. Macneil, of Larchmont, New York, who had been visiting her parents, on Steinwehr avenue, returned to Harrisburg Saturday accompanied by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Tawney.

Mrs. William Tawney, and Mrs. R. V. Macneil, spent a day recently at Pen Mar.

Rev. and Mrs. David C. Burnite, of York, are visiting at the home of Dr. and Mrs. E. S. Breidenbaugh, on Carlisle street.

Joseph Kendeheart, of Harrisburg, is visiting relatives in town for several days.

Mrs. S. J. Waltman is visiting friends in Hanover for several days.

Mrs. Walter Hutchings has returned to Hagerstown, after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Garvin, of Buford avenue.

M. A. Garvin, who spent the past week in Hagerstown, among friends has returned to his home in this place.

Hon. Thomas Garvin, of Evansville, Indiana, is visiting friends here.

Mrs. Annie Spangler, and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith, of York, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Spangler.

Prof. W. I. Book, of Philadelphia, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Winifred McSherry has returned to Gettysburg after spending several days at her home in Littlestown.

Mrs. Mervin VanDyke, of Centre Square, is visiting friends in McKnightstown.

William H. Johns has returned home from a business trip to Lyonsville.

**CARLISLE HISTORIAN DEAD**  
Jeremiah Zeamer, journalist and historian, died at his home in Carlisle Saturday midnight, aged 69 years. He had been ill only a few weeks. He was editor and proprietor of the American Volunteer for twenty two years, one of the influential Democratic journals of the state. He was a member of the state and national editorial associations. Ten years ago he retired and devoted his time to historical work. His widow, one son and one daughter survive.

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### Rank Cheating.

Speaking of family party parties, this really happened in Cleveland, says the Plain Dealer.

A young married couple attended such a session at the home of a neighbor out on the edge of Collinwood the other night. And when this young couple got home the female end of the sketch said:

"Jim, I hate to say anything about the Halls—they seem to be nice people. But I'm afraid they cheat at cards."

"Nonsense!" "I knew you'd say that, and it's dear of you to be so unsuspecting. But—well, what was the price of the chips tonight? Five cents each? That's what I thought. Jim, I examined those chips carefully, and they're the very same thing that I could have bought at Jones' store for a dollar a hundred, in all three colors too!"

### A Comedy of Errors.

When Baron Haussmann went to Constantinople on a visit to Abdul Aziz, who was then sultan, he had an interview with the grand vizier, who did not know a word of French. At the beginning of the interview the old long Turkish pipes were brought in, and then Baron Haussmann began making a very long speech in French. The grand vizier could not understand a word, but listened most attentively. It was noticed that his pipe had gone out and clipped his hand for a servant to come and relight it. Haussmann, thinking he was applauding, rushed toward him with outstretched hand, intending to shake hands and thank him. The grand vizier, seeing his hand put forth, shook it warily and said "Goodby," under the impression it was Haussmann's intention to leave, and quitted the room.

THOMAS W. LAWSON.

Was Fined \$100 For Conducting a Lottery.



### TOM LAWSON RUNS LOTTERY

Boston Financier Fined \$100 For Chancing Off a Horse.

Plymouth, Mass., Aug. 29.—Thomas W. Lawson was found guilty on one count of conducting a lottery and fined \$100. Another count of like nature was placed on file. Mr. Lawson has appealed.

His offense consisted in offering, in his capacity of president of the Marshfield Fair association, a prize of a horse and buggy, with all equipment, to be awarded to the holder of an admission ticket to the agricultural fair.

### TO INOCULATE ARMY AGAINST TYPHOID

All Officers and Privates to be Vaccinated.

Washington, Aug. 29.—The entire army of the United States is to be inoculated against typhoid fever—officers and privates alike.

An order was issued by Major General Wood, chief of staff, making it compulsory for every officer and enlisted man in the army under forty-five years of age to subject himself to the typhoid fever vaccine. This order applies to all those who have no heretofore had typhoid fever.

Estimates compiled at the war department show that up to the present time about 17,000 inoculations for typhoid fever have been made. Of the troops who were sent to the Mexican frontier nearly 12,000 had been inoculated. The total strength of the army at present is 76,000, so there will be plenty of work for the surgeons.

### NEGRO CO-RESPONDENT

William C. Bowman Files Suit For Divorce In Trenton.

Trenton, N. J., Aug. 29.—William C. Bowman, manager of F. W. Roebeling's fancy poultry farm, "Oaklands," at Trenton Junction, filed suit for divorce in the court of chancery, naming Augustus Wertz, a negro chauffeur, as the co-respondent.

The "Oaklands," of which Mr. Bowman is the manager, is one of the most noted model poultry farms in the country. The Bowman's were married in Trenton in 1902. Mr. Bowman is recognized all over the country as an expert in poultry raising.

### N. BRASKA FEELS CHILLY

Ice Ferns in Northern Section of the State and Frost Kills Plants.

Norfolk, Va., Aug. 29.—Frost was reported from parts of northern Nebraska. At Creighton ice formed on still water. Tomato vines and other tender plants were killed.

Two Seamen Killed on Battleship.

Washington, Aug. 29.—Word has reached the navy department that two seamen, William A. Creech and Wilson D. Mickle, were killed on the battleship Ohio by an accident to the anchor gear. The Ohio is in Tangier sound, Chesapeake bay, preparatory to the Atlantic fleet's target practice.

Secretary Meyer In Austria.

Paris, Aug. 29.—Secretary Meyer, after a visit of several days here, has gone to Austria.

### WEATHER EVERYWHERE.

Observations of United States weather bureaus taken at 8 p. m. yesterday follow:

	Temp.	Weather
Albany.....	76	Rain.
Atlantic City.....	76	Cloudy.
Boston.....	74	Clear.
Buffalo.....	66	Rain.
Chicago.....	68	Clear.
New Orleans.....	82	Cloudy.
New York.....	76	Clear.
Philadelphia.....	78	Clear.
St. Louis.....	72	Clear.
Washington.....	78	Cloudy.

Weather Forecast.  
Fair and cooler today and tomorrow; west winds.

## NOTICE

The undersigned having been appointed attorney-in-fact for Anna M. Runkle, of Gettysburg, Pa., desires to notify all creditors of the above named, Anna M. Runkle, to present their claims before September 1st, 1911.

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## STORM SWEEPS CHARLESTON

Was Cut Off From World For Twenty-four Hours.

PROPERTY DAMAGE \$1,000,000

Tremendous Rainfall Adds to Damage by Winds—Streets and Cellars Throughout City Were Flooded.

Charleston, S. C., Aug. 29.—The entire city was isolated by a storm that destroyed all means of communication with the outside world. Reports from adjacent coast points tell of high winds and rough seas, and the storm extended over a large area, losing its force as it moved inland.

The tremendous rainfall added to the damage of the winds. Streets became small rivers, sewers were useless to carry off the downpour, cellars were filled by hundreds and even the big Union station was flooded, while the lower parts of the city were converted into lakes.

Reports from the storm swept territory indicate that few if any lives were lost. In Charleston telegraph and telephone wires are prostrated, and the property loss will be over \$300,000.

The Charleston Evening Post estimates the loss of life at five, that number injured and the property damage \$1,000,000.

### Great Damage at Savannah.

Savannah, Ga., Aug. 29.—The storm spent much of its fury after day-break. Great damage was wrought within the city, but apparently little harm was done to shipping along the coast, ample warning of the storm's approach having been given shipmasters by the weather bureau.

Reports are missing from the low lying islands here and near Savannah, which are inhabited principally by colored people. They are invariably the worst sufferers in blows of this character.

People living on Sullivan's Island, a populous summer resort across the harbor, warned of the storm's approach, made a rush for the city, but many were too late and were marooned.

On the Isle of Palms, north of Sullivan's Island, where there is a summer hotel, dancing pavilion and other buildings, the waves had reached the pavilion, which ordinarily is out of the danger line.

Telephone, telegraph and wireless communication with Savannah remained impossible up to an early hour, while Beaufort and Georgetown, lying to the south and north respectively, also were isolated.

The most recent reports indicate that the storm is still central over South Carolina, near the coast. The prediction is made that it will move northward inside the coast line. Wind and rain are predicted by the weather bureau for the interior districts east of the Mississippi as an outgrowth of the southern storm. Storm warnings were ordered displayed on the Atlantic coast from Fort Monroe, Va., to Jacksonville, Fla.

### POPE HOLDS AUDIENCE

Receives a Cardinal and an Archbishop at the Vatican.

Rome, Aug. 29.—Pope Pius X. received in audience Cardinal Seraphin Vanutelli, grand penitentiary of the Holy Catholic church, and also Most Rev. Martin Tritschler y Cordova, archbishop of Yucatan.

Cardinal Merry Del Val, the papal secretary of state, who delayed his vacation during the recent illness of the pope, went to Montemario, where he will stay at the Villa Bismarckshill for the remainder of the summer.

### Old Trainers For Mules.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Aug. 29.—All manner of devices are in use by ho men to secure immunity for their animals from the bite of a small green fly, that in the last week or so has infested this region. Ordinary fly nets are useless, and live-yeen have found no insecticide that will deter the fly at all. Farmers have been seen in town driving mules completely encased in sackings, the coverings for the legs consisting of cast-off trousers, the effect being most ludicrous.

### Close Guard on Vatican Art Works.

Rome, Aug. 29.—Taking as a lesson the disappearance from the Louvre in Paris last week of Leonardo da Vinci's portrait of "Mona Lisa," the Vatican authorities are taking extraordinary precautions to guard the works of art in the Vatican museums.

### Making a Mammoth Cheese.

Utica, N. Y., Aug. 29.—There is being made at the Gowdy factory at West Martinsburg, a cheese weighing 5000 pounds and measuring 75 inches in diameter and 41 inches in height. The cheese is to be sent to the state fair for exhibition.

### Standard Oil Man's Son a Suicide.

New York, Aug. 29.—Alfred Veit, son of Richard C. Veit, of the Standard Oil company, committed suicide by shooting himself through the heart in front of the Hoffman cafe, at the Produce Exchange building. He was thirty-two years old.

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## BASE BALL SCORES.

Following is the Result of Games Played Yesterday.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At Detroit—Athletics, 12; Detroit, 3. Batteries—Plank, Thomas; Donovan, Coville, Stange.  
At St. Louis—New York, 4; St. Louis, 2. Batteries—Caldwell, Sweeney; Curry, Hamilton, Stephens.  
At Chicago—Boston, 4; Chicago, 1. Batteries—Pape, Carrigan; Baker, Block.

### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L.	P. C.	W. L.	P. C.
Athletics	77 41	Chicago	60 50
Detroit	73 48	Cleveland	50 50
Boston	62 57	Washn.	50 70
N. York	62 59	St. Louis	35 84

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At New York—New York, 2; St. Louis, 0. Batteries—Marquard, Myers; Steele, Bliss.  
At Brooklyn—Cincinnati, 2; Brooklyn, 1. Batteries—Fromme, Gasper, McLean; Rucker, Erwin.  
At Boston—Pittsburg, 3; Boston, 0. Batteries—Adams, Gibson; Perdue, Kling.  
Philadelphia—Chicago, 8; Philadelphia, 4. Batteries—Brown, Needham; Alexander, Burns, Spencer.

### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L.	P. C.	W. L.	P. C.
N. York	71 44	St. Louis	61 54
Chicago	67 43	Cincinnati	61 61
Pittsburg	63 48	Brooklyn	45 63
Phila.	63 52	Boston	29 87

### TRI-STATE LEAGUE.

At Trenton—Trenton, 5; Reading, 4 (10 innings). Batteries—Lloyd, Kerr; Northrop, Philbin.  
At Johnstown—Johnstown, 12; Altoona, 4. Batteries—Barker, Stroth; Pounds, Gaganin.  
At York—York, 1; Harrisburg, 0 (11 innings). Batteries—Oldham, Kane; Flittery, Mays.

Wilmington-Lancaster, wet grounds.

### Standing of the Clubs.

W. L.	P. C.	W. L.	P. C.
Reading	69 32	Altoona	47 54
Trenton	62 40	Lancaster	46 54
Johnstn.	53 47	Harrisburg	45 57
York	48 54	Wilmington	34 66

## FEARS UNION CONTROL OF THE RAILROADS

Krutzschmitt Says Recognition Would Mean That.

San Francisco, Aug. 29.—Vice President Krutzschmitt, of the Hariman lines, said that recognition of the federation of shop employees, as demanded, would place the unions in absolute control of the railroad business of the country.

"Railway officials are quasi public officials," he added, "and our duty to the public compels us to take a firm stand in these matters."

"We concede that unionism has come to stay and we are ready to meet union men as such, but we also realize our duty to the public."

"The proposed federation of all the railroad craftsmen, if consummated, would place them in absolute control."

Mr. Krutzschmitt said he was ready to meet representatives of shop employees in San Francisco.

"Will you meet with these men as representatives of the shop employees' federation?"

"I don't know anything about the federation. That has not come up to me yet."

### ROOM IN HEAVEN

Kentucky Pastor Believes It to Be an Apartment House.

Louisville, Ky., Aug. 29.—Heaven's exact dimensions have been figured in a sermon by Rev. M. E. Dodd, pastor of a large Baptist church here. He said:

"In Revelations, xxi, 1, nervous Christians have read where the dimensions of heaven are only 1500 cubic miles. Immediately they jump at the conclusion that even this space will not accommodate the vast multitude of which the Bible speaks."

"However, calculation will show that this space will accommodate a building 792,000 stories high, and counting rooms of ten cubic feet, the first floor of the structure would have 627,264,000 such rooms. Multiplying this by 792,000, it is easy to demonstrate that such a building would indeed accommodate an innumerable multitude."

### 'Quake in Mexico Kills Three.

Mexico City, Mex., Aug. 29.—Three persons were killed and heavy damage done by an earthquake in the city of Oaxaca on Sunday. Fifteen small houses were wrecked.

### GENERAL MARKETS

PHILADELPHIA—FLOUR quiet; winter, \$3.30@3.50; city mill, fancy, \$5.75@6.

RYE FLOUR steady, at \$4.25@4.50 per barrel.

WHEAT steady; No. 2 red, 91@91½.

CORN quiet; No. 2 yellow, 72½@73½.

OATS steady; No. 2 white, 45@45½; lower grades, 43½@44½.

POULTRY: Live steady; hens, 14½@15½; old roosters, 10@11c. Dress ed firm; choice fowls, 16½@17; old roosters, 10½@11.

BUTTER steady; extra creamery, 28c. per lb.

EGGS steady; selected, 25 @ 27c.; nearby, 21½@22c.; western, 21c.

POTATOES steady; new, per basket, 55@65c.

Live Stock Markets.

PITTSBURG (Union Stock Yards)—CATTLE steady; choice, \$6.75@7.25; prime, \$5.25@6.00.

SHEEP steady; prime wethers, \$2.70 @ 3.85; culls and common, \$1@2; lambs, \$3.50@6.50; prime calves, \$8.50 @9.

HOGS steady; prime heavies, \$7.80 @7.85; mediums, \$8.05@8.15; heavy Yorkers, \$8.10@8.15; light Yorkers, \$8 @8.15; pigs, \$7@7.50; roughs, \$6.50@7.

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## Violets on the Left Shoulder

By F. A. MITCHEL

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In New England are two colleges in close proximity. In one young men are educated, in the other young girls.

One day Edwin Langdon, a senior in the man's college, was strolling on a road not far from the women's institution when he saw a black spot above him. He watched it sink gradually till it appeared as a paper balloon rocking in the air and fell not a hundred yards from him. Going to where it lay, he took it up and noticed that to the cross wires holding a sponge that had been saturated with alcohol hung a piece of pasteboard on which was written in a feminine hand:

"Yes," said Langdon to himself, "and judging by your handwriting the secret is not to be kept. Some undergraduate of the women's college has sent you off for the purpose of telling her secret."

The student carefully examined the balloon in every part, but the secret was not found. Thinking it might lie under the pasteboard, he took it to his room and moistened and opened them. He was not rewarded for his pains.

"I have it," he exclaimed suddenly. "Some girl has written the secret with a fluid that requires a chemical agent to bring it out. I'll take it to the laboratory and apply tests." He did so and succeeded. By soaking the paper successfully in several different acids he at last found one that brought out letters containing a message.

You are warm, but you haven't got me yet. If you do a kiss—

The writing stopped abruptly. "Oh!" said Langdon inwardly. "So I'm warm, am I? That means that I'm on the right track. And a kiss is to be my reward if I get your secret. Only you didn't like to call kissing you a reward. Any man who wouldn't under such circumstances exercise all his wits to reach the goal is no man at all."

Ned Langdon tried all the chemical agents he could think of to bring out another message, but they failed. He puzzled over the matter for a week, then temporarily gave it up—that is, as to investigation. He continued to think about it pretty much all the time.

One evening he was holding the balloon close to a gas jet examining the paper with a magnifying glass, turning successively different parts to the jet, when on the paper, very near the flame, out came brown letters. They were too faint to be read, but Langdon knew he had got the secret—that is, if there was no more of the problem to be solved. Heat was the element required to bring out the writing. Holding the paper very close to the burning gas, a message in deep brown letters appeared:

Junior prom. Violets on left shoulder.

"Well, upon my word!" exclaimed Ned. "That's a round about way of making the acquaintance of a stranger. And to think that I didn't get on to the heat explanation. That message was probably written in common lemon juice. But the 'junior prom.' comes off next week. In four days more I would have been too late."

That ended Langdon's studies till the "junior prom." had taken place. He had no thought but for the girl who had sent the paper balloon. So she would be known at the function by violets on her left shoulder!

And what must have been the feelings of that girl as the evening in question approached? There were few chances of the balloon falling into the hands of one she would care to meet. And if it did, would he have the ingenuity to extract the secret?

"I'll bother that girl," mused Langdon, "by pretending not to recognize the token."

He entered the hall late purposely and stood in the background till he saw a girl pass with a bunch of violets on her shoulder. She was as pretty as a peach. He was enraptured. Langdon showed himself in the company of different girls for half an hour, then secured an introduction to the girl of the secret, pretending not to notice her violets. He made himself agreeable, however—indeed, paid her marked attention. After having been with her for some time he gallantly asked for a souvenir, looking wistfully at the violets. The girl did not take the hint.

There was a gallery at one end of the hall, used during religious services for the choir. Langdon invited the girl to go up there with him. She accepted, and they sat back where they would not be seen. Beneath them was that mingling of voices common at social gatherings resembling the running of waters.

Suddenly every voice stopped at the sound of a muffled shriek. Fortunately sound has no direction for the ear. "Some girl has been kissed," remarked numerous undergraduates. The professors looked shocked.

The hero and heroine of this story have long been married, and their sons and daughters are now fitting for college. The mother dreads to send her daughters where she cannot overlook them. When she talks this way her husband replies:

"Will you kindly tell me, my dear, what avail it is to watch a girl? They say that 'love laughs at locksmiths,' but I once knew a girl who got a husband by sending up a paper balloon with a secret in it so concealed that—"

"Oh, heavens! Shall I never hear the last of that freak?"

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## SWEARS BEATTIE CONFESSED CRIME

Cousin Says He Said "I Wish to  
God I Hadn't Done It."

### THEN IMPORED HIS HELP

"I Want You to Stick by Me," Witness  
Declares Prisoner Charged With  
Wife Murder Asked Him.

Chesterfield Court House, Va., Aug. 29.—"I wish I hadn't done it. I wish to God I hadn't done it."

In these words Henry Clay Beattie, Jr., on trial here, charged with the murder of his wife, Louise Owen Beattie, admitted he had slain his girl-  
bride in the Midlothian turnpike on the night of July 18 last, according to testimony given by Paul Beattie, the accused man's cousin.

This emotional climax to the efforts of the state to send Henry Beattie to the electric chair came after Paul Beattie had related how he had purchased the shotgun with which the crime was committed, that he had bought it and cartridges at his cousin's direction, and had delivered a message to Beulah Binford for Henry Beattie.

The witness said Henry told him to return with Beulah's reply. He went back the Thursday following the murder. Henry was drinking beer.

#### Threatened Beulah Binford.

"I did not know what Henry wanted with the gun. I heard of the murder of Henry's wife Wednesday and the next time I saw him was Wednesday night.

"He waited until he got me alone on the porch, when he said: 'Paul, I want you to do a favor for me. I want you to call up Mrs. Fisher, that's Beulah Binford, and tell her if she calls me up or writes to me or opens her mouth in any way, I'll kill her if it takes me a hundred years to get her.'"

"I went over to Beulah's house," added the witness, "and delivered the message, and she said, 'I reckon Henry will marry me after this.'"

Then the witness continued:

"I said: 'Henry, this thing looks mighty black to me.' He said nothing for a moment. Then he looked at me and said:

"I wish I hadn't done it. Although she only married me for money, I wish to God I hadn't done it. I wouldn't have gotten into this thing for a million dollars. I'd like to know how in h— those detectives found out there was No. 6 shot in that gun."

"I said: 'Henry, if the detectives get after me, I'm going to tell everything I know; looking at the trouble I'm in; there's nothing on you.'"

"He didn't say anything more just then, but the next day he said to me: 'Paul, I want you to stand by me; you stick by me and I'll not forget a friend.'"

"I said: 'Henry, I'm not going to stick by any one. I'm just going to tell the truth and everything I know when they get after me.'"

"The night before the coroner's inquest he called me up on the 'phone and asked me if I had been summoned there. I said no, and he laughed and chuckled and told me if I was to keep my mouth shut."

#### Bomb For the Defense.

Paul's statement that Henry said he was sorry "he had done it," dropped into the camp of the defense like a bomb. The young man's testimony had led gradually and dramatically up to this climax, so unexpected and surprising that it brought a gasp from the crowd while the lawyers for the defense turned and looked at each other with consternation in their eyes.

The witness was turned over immediately to the defense for cross-examination, and Mr. Smith disregarded everything else the witness had said and devoted himself almost entirely to this startling piece of new testimony of the alleged confession.

He wanted to know why Paul had not told of this at the inquest. He replied that he didn't say anything he didn't have to, because it seemed horrible to him to have to testify against his own flesh and blood.

Rising in his chair and leaning half way across the counsel table, his voice raised to a menacing shout, Mr. Smith poured upon the witness a torrent of questions, which he answered without confusion or hesitation.

"Weren't you sworn to tell the truth at the inquest?" "Yes, and I did."

"But weren't you sworn to tell the whole truth?" "I guess I was, but I was in pretty bad shape at that time. My mind was a wreck. I didn't know what to do; I felt horrible."

It will be remembered that Paul had an epileptic fit at the inquest and was hysterical later for some time.

The first time he mentioned Henry's alleged confession of "I wish to God I hadn't done it," he said was to Mr. Wendenberg, the assistant prosecutor, about four days after the coroner's inquest.

Included in the day's surprises was the spectacular appearance of Mrs. R. V. Owen, of Dover, Del., mother of the murdered girl-bride, and later that of Mrs. Jessie Binford, mother of "the girl in the case." From two vastly divergent angles they supplied testimony to join to a motive for Beattie killing his wife. Then after a pause came Paul Beattie, who may clinch that evidence in a most convincing manner.

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#### BIG AIRSHIP OFF

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Akron, O., Aug. 29.—The big dirigible balloon in which Melvin Vaniman and five others expect to start across the Atlantic ocean on Oct. 22 was shipped to Atlantic City, where the start is to be made.

The balloon is 268 feet long, on twenty feet longer than the "America," in which Walter Wellman started for Europe, and which was lost before he had traveled many miles.

### SPANISH TROOPS TO ENTER MOROCCO

Will Further Complicate the Situation There.

Madrid, Aug. 29.—Dispatches received here from Las Palmas, Canary Islands, say that 500 Spanish soldiers are making preparations to embark on the transport Almirante Lobo to occupy Sainte Croix La Mineure, on the Moroccan coast to the south of Agadir, where the arrival last July of the German warship Panther stirred up the present international dispute over Morocco.

The news reporting the movement of a Spanish force to southern Morocco has not yet been elucidated, but should it be confirmed it is expected further to complicate the Moroccan problems, over which negotiations are in progress between Jules Cambon, the French ambassador at Berlin, and Herr von Kiderlin-Watchter, the German foreign secretary.

#### DUEL WITH SHOT GUNS

Quarrel Over Fence Ends in Death For One and Prison For Other.

Wheeling, W. Va., Aug. 29.—As a result of a duel fought with shotguns near Pineville, Wyoming county, Wyatt Lambert is dead and Joe Mullins has surrendered to the authorities, pleading guilty to the killing of Lambert.

Lambert and Mullins were enemies for months, having fallen out over a fine fence. When Mullins passed the home of Lambert he carried a shotgun and made an insulting remark to Lambert, ending it up with an invitation to meet him in the woods.

Lambert secured his shotgun, and a few minutes later Mrs. Lambert heard half a dozen shots. The woman gave little heed to the firing, and it was only when her husband's mule returned home with one ear shot off that she became alarmed. Going down the road, she heard groans and found that her husband was shot and dying. He died before he could be taken home.

#### Boy Is Held For Ransom.

New York, Aug. 29.—Vincenzo Sabella, an Italian merchant, announced that his seven-year-old son, Vincenzo, had been missing from home since Aug. 7 and that he had received six letters signed with a skull and cross bones and demanding \$10,000 ransom for the boy's return. The police have been notified of the case. The first letter demanding a ransom came the day after the boy disappeared, he said, and the others followed at intervals. The writers threaten to kill the boy if the ransom is refused.

#### Fire Wipes Out Town.

Antigo, Wis., Aug. 29.—The village of Elmhurst, six miles south of Antigo, was almost wiped out by a fire, which destroyed a sawmill, \$100,000 worth of timber, six stores and fourteen residences. Only two stores and a depot were saved.

#### Cholera In France.

Perpignan, France, Aug. 29.—Two cases of cholera have appeared here. The patients have been isolated and the health authorities have taken the strictest measures to prevent the disease from spreading.

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## UPTON SINCLAIR SEEKS DIVORCE

Novelist Names Kansas Poet  
as Co-Respondent.

### WIFE TELLS HER SIDE

Says She Will Not Fight Suit, But Will Seek Her "Real Mate"—Is Going on Stage.

New York, Aug. 29.—Upton Sinclair, author and Socialist, of Arden's colony, near Wilmington, Del., brought suit against his wife, Mrs. Meta Fuller Sinclair, for divorce on statutory grounds.

Harry Kemp, the young poet, from Lawrence, Kan., is named as co-respondent. Mrs. Meta Fuller Sinclair, the wife from whom he is seeking a divorce, told her side of her troubles with her husband.

She says that she does not intend to fight the suit that her husband brings. She says that the trouble with her husband is that he is "an essential monogamist," while on the other hand she is not. She says that she has not made up her mind whether she will marry Harry Kemp, the young poet from Lawrence, Kan., whom Sinclair blames for their estrangement. She says that like every other woman she hungers for her "real mate," and that when she finds him she will marry him. She does not know whether Kemp is her real mate. She is going on the stage as soon as she is rested, she says.

Mrs. Sinclair said that she had not been well for the last four days and that she was ill when word that her husband intended to bring suit was brought to her.

"I have returned," she said, "to New York to tell my own side of the story. The trouble with my husband is that he is an essential monogamist and objects to my having my freedom in the matter of sex. We didn't react against the world in the same way. We were married eleven years ago and for our first ten years we tried to adjust ourselves to each other and the world."

Recently, she said, she had given up all such attempts and had been seen in public accompanied by other men. She said that her husband had a "conservative mind." By nature, she said, she is a conservative, but choice has made him a radical.

Then she went back to her essential monogamist and defined him. She said that such a one had three qualities. These, she says, are the faults of her husband: First, he is not able to devote his time to his wife; second, he is so absorbed in his work that he is not able to keep his wife from being seen with other men, and third, she said, her husband was over-developed intellectually.

She admitted that woman is an instinctive monogamist, but she said that the hunger for a real mate is so strong—and she was most insistent on the word "mate"—that sometimes a woman has to commit sin before she can find him. She said that such conditions would not exist if men were not so selfish and egotistical.

She refused to say anything definite about the truth or falsity of the charges that her husband had brought against her. She said that she didn't know whether or not she would marry Harry Kemp. She might, she said, if she found that he was her real mate.

She said that she was going away for a rest and that after she was through resting she would visit the theatrical agents for an engagement on the stage. It has always been her ambition to go on the stage. She said that when she went away she did not expect the Kansas poet to accompany her.

#### RAILROAD PAYS FOR KILLING

Gives \$13,500 to Families of Men Who Met Death Aug. 5.

Scranton, Pa., Aug. 29.—August 5, last, three men, Charles Gallagher, Peter F. Higgins, of Minooka, and Edward Briggs, of Dunmore, were killed by a Delaware & Hudson railroad train at Dupont crossing.

The company paid damages of \$13,500 to the families, the quickest damage settlement ever recorded in Lackawanna county.

#### Golden Freed of Murder Charge.

Kittanning, Pa., Aug. 29.—At the conclusion of the habeas corpus proceedings in the case of George Golden, a leading merchant of Wicksboro, held for the grand jury on the charge of murdering his wife, Judge W. D. Patton discharged the accused. There was no evidence, he said, to warrant conviction on the charge of murder. Golden had declared he had his wife lying in bed, mistaking her for a burglar.

#### Found a Two-Headed Snake.

Logansport, Ind., Aug. 29.—While walking through the woods, Oliver K. Dempsey, of this city, found a two-headed copperhead snake. He killed the reptile and brought it home to corroborate any story he might tell about the freak. The snake has two perfect, bifurcated heads, with well developed forked tongues.

#### Hotel Manager Shoots Himself.

Ashbury Park, N. J., Aug. 29.—Louis J. Crowley, manager of the Hotel Curlew, at Allenhurst, and part owner of the Mansion House at Troy, committed suicide by shooting himself in the head in his room at the hotel at Allenhurst.

The late King Leopold II. of Belgium once made a quick answer to a radical deputy who had said of the king that he would make an admirable president of a republic.

"Really?" replied the king, with his most ingenious air. "Really? Do you know, I think I shall pay a compliment in your style to my physician, Dr. Thirier, who is coming to see me presently. I shall say, 'Thirier, you are a great doctor, and I think you would make an excellent veterinary surgeon.'"

### HORSE NOTES.

Jerking the bit and yelling confuse a horse and advertise a blockhead.

Your horse may intend to please you, but does not understand your wishes.

You can get no more power from your horse than you give him in his food.

Good feed will put life into a horse a hundred times better than an eight foot whip.

If the fetlocks are clipped and the horse's legs kept clean scratching will never bother.

Never work a team of colts together until they are thoroughly broken, as they will worry each other.

If dusty hay is fed, sprinkle with water and it will save the horse much annoyance, but better not feed it at all.

It makes some horses ugly to work them with horses that do not travel up with them. Match them as to gait as well as to other things.

#### NEW CORN FOR PIGS.

Useful Fattening Feed if Added to the Ration Gradually.

With proper judgment considerable use can be made of new corn in fattening the early pigs, says the Kansas Farmer. As the pastures begin to grow short new corn that is beginning to dent may be cut and given to the pigs. Care must be taken that they become accustomed to this new corn gradually. By cutting the new corn, stalk and all, a considerable portion of the green leaves and finer parts will be eaten. As the corn becomes more mature and the ration increases the hogs will eat less and less of the fodder until they are on practically a full feed of corn.

It is seldom profitable to fatten hogs on a full ration of corn alone in a dry lot. They soon cease to thrive and will not eat as large a ration as is desired. The balanced ration will yield the largest gains and almost invariably the cheapest gains. Alfalfa pasture or good, bright alfalfa hay of the fourth or fifth cutting supplied to fattening hogs will be a very efficient and economical means of balancing the corn ration. It supplies the protein, which is deficient in corn, and gives variety to the ration. Soy beans, where available, will serve the same purpose, given as a fifth part of the ration.

Any feed, if rich in digestible protein, may be used with profit unless too high in price. The latest feeding stuff to be used for this purpose is the packing house byproduct called "tank meal" or "meat meal." This highly nitrogenous product, while high in price, is so rich in protein that only a small amount is required. It has been successfully and profitably fed by so many experiment stations and practical men that there can be no doubt as to its value. To a fattening hog of 150 pounds weight one-half pound of tankage daily is sufficient.

Care must be taken that there is sufficient trough room for each hog to receive its proper allowance.

While corn is the chief grain for fattening hogs, almost any of the cereals may be used. Kaffir corn is very similar in composition and if ground and properly balanced gives results very nearly as good as corn. Wheat is fully the equal of corn, pound for pound—in fact, hogs will do better on wheat alone than on corn alone. When wheat is about the same price per pound as corn or only a little higher it will pay to use it. Barley is not relished quite so well by hogs as corn, but can be used as a fattening grain. For breeding stock it is better than corn. Cottontail meal, although one of our richest feeds, is never safe for hogs, as far as we know at present. It may be fed for limited periods and in small quantities with good results.

#### Swine Succumb to Sunstroke.

Swine should be fed plenty of green food in order to keep their digestive tracts in the best condition. They should be supplied with plenty of pure cold water and an abundance of shade and a sanitary wallowing place.

Fat hogs are extremely susceptible to sunstroke, as they cannot perspire freely and have their body temperature reduced by the evaporation of the perspiration as can the horse. An excellent plan is to frequently swab the hogs' bodies with water to keep them cool. A hog prostrated by the heat should be conveyed to a shady place, where cool water should be poured on the head and neck, but not over the rest of the body.

#### Water For Dairy Cows.

The amount of milk produced by a cow will depend upon the amount of water she drinks—not entirely, of course, but it stands to reason that the cow cannot give milk unless she has plenty of water to drink. Now, if this water is warm, like that standing in a pond or a water trough, she will not like it so well and will not drink enough of it. As a consequence her milk flow will fall away. Fresh, cool water is necessary for the milk cow, and it costs money not to provide her with it.

#### Ring the Bull Calves.

Every bull calf reaches a stage at one year of age after which he will be unsafe to handle with a halter. From that time on a ring and snap if he is of a beef breed and a staff if of a dairy breed will be the only means by which he can be handled safely.

WANTED: good housekeeping magazine requires the services of a representative in Gettysburg to look after subscription renewals and to extend circulation by special methods which have proved unusually successful. Salary and commission. Previous experience desirable but not essential. Whole time or spare time. Address, with reference, J. F. Fairbanks, Good Housekeeping Magazine, 881 Fourth Avenue, New York City.

## TIMELY HINTS FOR FARMERS

### Farmers Not Dairymen.

The trouble with the dairy business today, beyond a question of doubt, is that it is being carried on by farmers, not dairymen, men who know little or nothing about the profit or loss of the animals they are keeping. This, coupled with their lack of knowledge in care and feeding of such stock, results in a very poor average earning for the ordinary milk cow. It would be better for all concerned if more men made dairying a business. As for the small holder and renter, he certainly cannot afford to keep poor cows, for it has been demonstrated most thoroughly that the poor cow actually brings about a loss to her keeper instead of a profit and "a few good cows, if any at all," should be his motto. I believe one of the reasons why so many farmers use inferior sires in their herds is that they are not in the dairy business, but that it is a side issue and, therefore, they feel they cannot afford a better sire. This, we know, is a great mistake and perhaps is the one most harmful to the industry from both a local and a national standpoint.—A. L. Haecker.

### Farm Wisdom.

Now, please don't let the mower rattle all to pieces. Keep it well oiled and every nut screwed up tightly, and don't let the knives or guards get dull.

When using a lantern around the barn it should always be hung on a safe hook and never left where the cattle can kick it over. Speak to the hired man about it.

If you have been using long ladders take them down before you go to bed. May come up a big wind and smash your ladders. They cost money these days.

Look up the thing that rattles on the wagon or carriage. Do it right off. May save you a breakdown or a trip to town for the bolt or nut that comes off and is lost.

Prop swinging barn doors open, no matter whether the wind blows or not. You can't tell when it will, and slamming doors lead to broken doors, and that means loss.—Farm Journal.

### The Small Fruits.

During July and August is the best time to set out a strawberry bed to provide that delicious fruit for future years. The quantity of raspberry, blackberry and other small fruits can be doubled if you will bend down the canes and branches now until the ends touch the earth, where they should be securely fastened by a stone or peg. They will soon send out roots. Early in September the cane or stock must be separated from the parent plant, about a foot above the new root, and the new plants transplanted to permanent positions.

## POULTRY HOUSE ROOSTS AND NESTS

Removable Fixtures an Aid to Cleanliness.

One of the chief requisites of success with poultry is clean quarters. A conveniently arranged house is least likely to be neglected, hence it is important that roosts and nests be constructed and arranged properly, as they are the main fixtures, writes N. S. Green in Farm and Fireside. Roosts require frequent oiling or whitewashing in order to keep vermin in check. If they are removable it is an easy matter to keep them clean. One of the most satisfactory plans is to make the roosts of two by four scantlings, the ends resting on notched cleats at each end of the platform used to catch the droppings. By giving the ends and under sides frequent attention there should be no trouble from lice. If it is preferred to have the ends of the roosts away from the wall, they may be shortened and nailed to boards eight inches wide and long enough to accommodate the required number of roosts. The boards rest on the platform and, for cleaning, the entire roost is lifted off.

Hens detest filthy nests and will not lay in them if they can find a better place. Nests nailed to the wall are an abomination, for they afford an excellent hiding place for lice, where it is difficult to get at them. As a rule, we make our nests in sections of three each, each nest being fifteen by twelve inches and twelve inches high. They are placed beneath the platform, and, as they have a removable top, it is easy to gather the eggs. As the nests face the wall, the hens never get into the habit of roosting in them. We examine the nests frequently to make sure they have not become infested with lice. A handful of air slaked lime is placed in the bottom of each nest box, and when nesting material is renewed it is sprinkled with insect powder. By using these precautions we have little trouble with lice or mites.

### Feeding Cows.

Cows fed little at night if well fed during the day, and if the stable is well ventilated they are as comfortable here as anywhere, and the gain to the manure pile is considerable.

HORSE for sale. I offer for sale a fine driving and all round horse. A bright bay, 8 years old, 17 hands high and will weigh between 1100 and 1200 pounds, fearless of trolley or automobile. Calvin Gilbert, Gettysburg, Pa.

The "Investment page" of Collier's Weekly, last week, contains an article on "bonds" by William G. Leisenring, Gettysburg College, 1901. Mr. Leisenring has many friends in Gettysburg.

## 30 DAYS GREAT SALE

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## Buggies and Harness

August 5 - September 5  
AT FAIRFIELD, PA.

Extra good values at cost, don't fail to look them over. Our entire stock must go.

Rubber Tire Rockford Buggy, leather trimmed, latest style, auto seat, medium arched axle. Regular price \$110.00 at \$85.00

Steel Tire Emerson Buggy, leather trimmed, piano box, medium arched axle. Regular price \$90.00 now \$75.00. Extra good value

Steel Tire Rockford Buggy, leather trimmed, drop axle, piano Box. Regular price \$75.00 now \$55.00. A bargain.

Steel Tire Rockford Buggy, cloth trimmed, drop axle, auto back. Regular price \$80.00 now \$60.00.

Steel Tire Extension Two-Horse Surrey. Extra good style. Regular price \$130. now \$100.

Steel Tired Emerson Runabout, high arched axle, cloth trimmed, open back. Regular price \$60.00 now \$45.00.

A fine lot of HARNESS at cost.

\$12.75 values at \$10.00 per set.

\$20.00 values at \$15.00 per set.

2 Sale will last for 30 DAYS only. It will be a great saving to you, to give us a call.

W. S. AMBERSON,  
FAIRFIELD PENNA.

## PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

SATURDAY, SEPT. 16th., 1911.

The undersigned residing in Menallen township, Adams County, Pa., will sell at public sale the following valuable real estate, along the road leading from the State road to the Arendtsville road, 1 mile from Bendersville, adjoining lands of Joel Garretson, Frank Garretson, George Oyley, Mrs. Thomas, Hiram Grist, Edward Brane, Mrs. Sheeley, Ha Baugher and Albert Wright, containing 60 acres more or less, 125 acres of valuable timberland, white oak, hickory, poplar and chestnut, the improvements consist of stone house, spring of water and pump on the porch, swiss barn, wagon shed, carriage house, 2 corn cribs, grainery, chicken house and other buildings, running stream of water through the farm the land is in a high state of cultivation, some fruit trees, pear, apple and peach, this is as good a little farm as any in Adams Co., good quality of land and also lies in the midst of the apple belt, lies between the Tyson Bros., and J. G. Stover's big apple orchards, any persons wishing to view this farm please call on the undersigned living on the premises.

Also at the same time and place will sell the following personal property, 3 head of horses, bay mare with foal to O. P. House's horse, St. Julius, is a fine driver and leader and hard to beat; colt, will be 1 year old in Sept. straight and all right, good disposition and very easy to handle, sorrel horse will work wherever hitched; 9 head of dehorned cattle, 4 milk cows, a good lot of cows as you will find, heifers with calf, 2 small heifers, 2 hogs, 3 spring wagons, 2 horse platform spring wagon, the others 2 horse spring wagons, falling top buggy, 2 horse wagon and bed, set of hay ladders, Deering mower and horse rake, sleigh, Oliver Chilled plow, No. 40, spring tooth harrow, 2 iron corn workers, shovel plow, potato digger, single trees, double trees of work harness and other articles not herein mentioned. Sale to begin at 12 o'clock, when terms will be made known by A. N. WIEMAN.

Ira Taylor, auct. S. B. Gochman, clerk

## Assignee's Sale of REAL ESTATE

On SATURDAY the 2nd day of SEPTEMBER, 1911, the undersigned, Assignee in trust for the creditors of JOHN DITZLER, of Tyrone Township, Adams County, will offer at public sale on the premises in the said Township of Tyrone, the following valuable real estate, to wit:

All that certain tract of Messuage of land situate on the Menallen Road which leads from Heidersburg to Biglerville, 1 1/2 miles from former place and 4 miles from latter place, adjoining lands of Wm. C. Weigle, E. C. Fidler, L. A. Golden, and Edward Martin, containing about 23 acres more or less and improved with two-story weather-boarded house, frame stable, and necessary out-buildings. This property is conveniently located to church, school and markets, in a good state of cultivation, and a most desirable little farm. Plenty of good never failing water on property, young orchard, and other fruit trees. Sale to begin at 1 p. m. when terms will be made known by

W. S. HOUCK,

G. K. Walker, Auctioneer.

REGULAR dinners at Raymond's Restaurant, save you money and satisfy the appetite. Try them.

## PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE REAL ESTATE

On Saturday, September 2, 1911.

The undersigned will sell at public sale the following valuable farms and properties located at McKnightstown Station:

No. 1. A farm located at the McKnightstown Station, adjoining lands of Conrad Walter, W. J. Settle, Wm. O. Andrew and Tannery lot containing 60 acres more or less, 6 acres of timberland, improved with a bank barn, a nine room weatherboarded dwelling house, the Cashtown stream passes through the meadow; good fruit on place. The farm is in the heart of the fruit belt; buildings are in good repair; land is in a high state of cultivation and location could not be better. Several building lots will be cut off the farm at the Station and sold separately from the farm.

No. 2. A truck farm opposite the Western Maryland Ry., adjoining lands of Walter Settle, Wm. O. Andrew and the Cashtown station, containing 4 or 5 acres improved with a weatherboarded dwelling and other buildings. It is an excellent truck farm and handy to markets and is occupied by Mr. Yeager and should be seen now to understand its value for trucking purposes.

No. 3. The Tannery lots of Victor Duterra will be sold at the same time, being bounded by railroad and public road and includes the tannery, the coal bins, the scales, post office building occupied by Postmaster Simon P. Stover. The tannery buildings are 60 x 40 and three stories high. The machinery in building, personal property and bark sheds are reserved and will not be sold. This place could be most advantageously used as a warehouse for shipping. About 60 carloads of apples were shipped from this point last year. This property has a siding from the railroad and this siding could be made 900 feet long. A fine 25 horse power engine and a 40 horse power boiler will be offered with the property. Terms 1/2 cash and balance at 5 per cent secured by judgment. Tannery will be offered in two parts.

These properties are headquarters for a large agricultural business and one of the best situations in the county for the apple trade.

No. 4. An acre of ground near Heinzelmann's Station on Western Maryland railroad and adjoining lands of Mr. Biessecker on east and running with the Western Maryland railroad. This piece of land is an ideal spot for the construction of a spring lake to supply spring water to Gettysburg by gravity. A lake 150 feet wide and 400 feet in length and about 12 feet deep could be made from banks already there and springs flowing a barrel of

## OFFICERS GET THREE PERSONS

Mrs. Anna Claybaugh Charged with Keeping a Disorderly House and Mr. and Mrs. John Branon for being Nuisances.

Chief Shealer and Detective Charles H. Wilson placed three more residents of York street under arrest Monday afternoon, the new prisoners being Mrs. Anna Claybaugh, charged with keeping a disorderly house; John Branon and his wife, Mrs. Anna Branon, charged with being common nuisances and using profane language. It will be recalled that Chief Shealer effected the arrest of Joseph Branon Saturday evening when he passed him on York street with Mrs. Claybaugh, the officer turning as he passed the pair and taking Branon by the arm.

When searched at the jail Branon was found to have a revolver on his person. Later Chief Shealer opened the weapon and found the cartridges which it contained partly covered with chicken feathers and blood.

Monday morning Chief Shealer and Detective Wilson went to the Claybaugh home to arrest Mrs. Claybaugh but she was nowhere to be found. Later it was learned that she saw the officers coming and hurried out into the corn where she remained hidden until they had left.

In the afternoon the officers again visited the place. Mr. Wilson took charge of the rear door and Mr. Shealer of the front. The parties wanted were all up stairs but they came down when ordered to do so and one by one they were taken in charge. They were allowed to pack their suit cases and escorted to the county jail where they now await hearings.

It is alleged that at the Claybaugh home a bag was found containing chicken feathers. Joseph Branon's shirt with feathers on it was found also, it is said, while another revolver was discovered.

Squire Hill will give the defendants a hearing this evening.

### PASTOR'S APPEAL

To the members of the High street, Gettysburg, and Salem United Brethren churches. Our usual meetings have been in part suspended during the Chautauqua beside being affected during the summer by the hot weather and the useful custom of taking a vacation. But soon the schools will open and family and church life will become normal and regular again. It is exceedingly important that the pastor and members of these churches give themselves to aggressive church work with as little delay as possible. Only six weeks remain till the Annual Conference will meet and much work remains to be done. I therefore suggest that the first and second Sabbaths of September be made rally days and record days for attendance and contributions in all departments of the church. I appeal to every member to be present on these days if not providentially prevented. Psalm 122:1, expresses the disposition that we all need: "I was glad when they said unto me let us go into the house of the Lord." Prayer meeting 7:30 p. m. Wednesday August 30 and preaching September 3d, 10:30 a. m. at High street and at Salem in the evening. With fervent benediction, G. W. Sherrick, pastor.

### CHARLES A. BRICKER

Charles A. Bricker, of Goodyear died at his home Saturday evening at 7:15 o'clock, aged 36 years, 8 months and 25 days.

He is survived by his wife and two sons, Gilbert and Alfred, and two brothers, Harry Bricker, of Ground Oak and Morris Bricker, of Carlisle. Funeral this morning.

When you are hungry go to Raymond's Restaurant.

## RUNK & PECKMAN'S REALTY REPORT

7 ACRES 1/2 mile from Table Rock and 1 mile from Biglerville with 350 apple and peach trees, some bearing, new 7-room frame house, slate roof, new barn and hog pen. Chicken house 10 x 60 feet. A fine place for poultry, fruit and trucking. \$1800 if sold soon. Don't delay.

26 ACRES fine soil well fenced with buildings near Little Round Top. See us for price. Will be sold soon.

NEW BRICK DOUBLE HOUSE, Gettysburg, well located, 8 rooms and bath, slate roof, front and rear porches, hardwood finish, all modern conveniences, \$4500. A splendid investment.

7 ROOM, 2 story Brick House on Stratton st., Gettysburg, well located, \$1000.

GOOD BRICK HOUSE on York street, Gettysburg slate roof, front and rear porch, stable, etc., all practically new, \$2300.

2 STORY Brick Building within 50 feet from Centre Square, 42 foot front. A fine location, \$4000.

2 GOOD Business Properties, one on Baltimore and the other on York st., See us for particulars and prices.

GOOD BRICK HOUSE on Chambersburg street, 9 rooms \$1650.

1 FINE Building Lot 63 x 150 feet, corner High and York streets, Biglerville, the only one left in this section. Price \$400 to first buyer.

14 GOOD Building Lots on 4th street, Biglerville 60 x 155.

NEW 7 ROOM HOUSE on York street, Biglerville, modern conveniences, stable, fine lawn, well located, ask for price.

NEW 5 ROOM Frame House on 4th street, Biglerville, slate roof, stable and large lot, water in house, \$1250.

NEW 6 ROOM Frame House, 4th, street, Biglerville, slate roof, good stable, water in house, well built and a very desirable home, \$1500.

8 ROOM Frame House in Bendersville, slate roof, large porch and lawn, good stables has been occupied by owner, well cared for, \$1000 and a bargain. There is a good opening here for a baker and a butcher.

WAREHOUSE for rent in Gettysburg, come to see us for information in regards to this splendid proposition.

7 ROOM Weatherboarded House, stable and other buildings with 3 1/2 acres of land in Beecherville, plenty fruit, \$800.

**RUNK & PECKMAN,**  
REAL ESTATE-INSURANCE  
OFFICE IN MASONIC BUILDING, CENTRE SQUARE, GETTYSBURG  
Rents Collected.

## HUMOROUS QUIPS

### She Giggled.

I went out to walk with Miss Nellie one day. And as we two strolled through the park I noticed she seemed quite contented and gay—  
More happy by far than a lark. And whenever I made a remark even plain,  
She would always a giggle outpour; And then when I asked her to kindly explain,  
She giggled—then giggled some more.

Then in the evening we went to the play. And though 'twas a tragedy deep,  
She did not the slightest emotion display, But giggled while others would weep.  
She giggled a bit when the hero was killed, And as the bride came through the door  
To marry the villain whose conduct had thrilled, She giggled—then giggled some more.

So I asked the young lady to tell me just why Her system contained so much mirth,  
And how she could giggle when others would cry. And when happiness seemed at a death,  
So she said her new hat had the latest shaped frame, The only one like it in store,  
And that no other lady could get the same. Then she giggled—and giggled some more.

—John L. Hobbie in Puck.

Obliging.  
There's a pretty cashier lady in a certain Boston restaurant. The other day a fresh stranger approached this cashier and asked, "Are the waiters here attentive to you?"

"Sir," she squealed, and her liquid eyes flashed fire.

"I asked, are the waiters in this place attentive to you?" he calmly repeated. "Are you hard of hearing?"

Then the haughty beauty shouted for the manager, who came on the run. "This pup has insulted me!" she sobbed. "Is it any of his dern business whether the waiters is attentive to a perfect lady or not? I'd like to know if just because I'm a poor working girl a fresh guy can—"

"Now, calm yourself," said the stranger, unabashed. "I am merely being polite and complying with a request printed on your bill of fare. Here it is: read it for yourself."

The line at the top of the menu card read as follows: "Guests will oblige the management by reporting any inattention on the part of the waiters to the cashier."—Boston Traveler.

### The Parents' Joke.

Some parents seem unable to resist the temptation to make a joke with the Christian names of their children, says the London Chronicle. The Somerset House registers testify to the existence of a Mr. Mineral Waters, a Frosty Winter and an Alfred Days Weeks. There is something to be said in favor of naming children in the order of their arrival—Primus, Secundus, etc.—but it is unfortunate for a well known Canadian named Cumber that it should have fallen to his lot to be Quintus, for his name is always appearing in the papers as Mr. Q. Cumber.

## PUBLIC SALE OF VALUABLE FARM

ON FRIDAY the 22nd, day of SEPTEMBER, 1911, the undersigned will sell at public sale on the premises, the following valuable farm situate in Hamilton Twp., Adams County, Pa. On the public road leading from Fairfield to Fountindale, one-half mile from Jack's Mt. Station, and two miles west of Fairfield, adjoining lands of E. Snyder, John Greager, P. H. Riley and Geo. Sanders estate, containing 165 acres, 25 perches more or less. The improvements consist of a large brick house, new bank barn, wagon shed, corn cribs, hog pens and other outbuildings. A never failing spring of water at the house, and another spring nearby. About 40 acres in good timber. Terms of sale 25 per cent cash, or approved note on day of sale, balance April 1, 1912. Sale to begin at 10 o'clock when attendance will be given by JOHN SANDERS, Sr., Auctioneer A. Winton Crouse.

### PLANK-BISHOP

Ernest D. Plank, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Plank, and Mary G. Bishop, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Bishop, both of Greencourt, were united in marriage on August 14, by the Rev. William B. Hooper, of this place.

## LUCKY LAST LOOK

It Preserved the Declaration of Independence in 1814.

### SAVED IT FROM THE BRITISH.

The Precious Document Would Have Been in the State Department When It Was Burned but For Pleasanton's Final Glance Around the Room.

Comparatively few of the present generation know how near to being lost was once the most precious of our national documents, the Declaration of Independence. It was during the war of 1812. The Declaration of Independence hung for many years in a frame in the state department in the room then occupied by Stephen Pleasanton. Mr. Beaseley, commissary of prisoners of war in London, forwarded to the state department some London newspapers, stating that the English fleets and transports were receiving troops at Bordeaux, France, with the intention of operating against Washington and Baltimore. Soon after it was learned that the British fleet was in Chesapeake bay and that it was ascending the Patuxent. The officials and citizens of the little capital city were hourly expecting an attack.

Upon receipt of this information, which was a few days before the enemy entered Washington, Mr. Monroe, then secretary of state, James Madison being president, mounted his horse, rode to Benedict, a small village on the Patuxent, where the British forces were being landed, and climbed an eminence within a quarter of a mile of the village, in order to ascertain the strength of the enemy. Being convinced, after his inspection, that we had no force available that could successfully resist them, he sent a note to Mr. Pleasanton by a vidette, advising him to see that the best care was taken of the books and papers of the state department.

Acting at once upon this authority, Mr. Pleasanton purchased some coarse linen and had it made into bags of suitable size, in which he, assisted by others in the office, placed the books and other papers.

While engaged in this work General Armstrong, then secretary of war, passing the state department on his way to his own office, remarked that he thought they were unnecessarily alarming themselves, as he did not think the British were serious in their intentions of coming to Washington. Fortunately Mr. Pleasanton was of a different opinion, and observed that it was the part of prudence to take measures to preserve these valuable papers of the revolutionary government. Had Mr. Pleasanton delayed but a few days, had he followed the advice of the secretary of war, an irreparable loss would have been sustained. For the papers which Mr. Pleasanton had placed in the coarse linen bags comprised the secret journals of congress, then not published; the correspondence of General Washington, his commission, resigned at the close of the war; the correspondence of General Greene and other officers of the Revolution, as well as laws, treaties and correspondence of the department of state from the adoption of the constitution down to that time.

Mr. Pleasanton had the bags carted to a grist mill, which he selected as a suitable depository. The mill, which was unoccupied, belonged to Edgar Patterson and was situated on the Virginia side of the Potomac, beyond the Chain bridge, two miles above Georgetown.

The last load had left, and Mr. Pleasanton was just quitting the vacant rooms when, glancing back suddenly to see whether anything had been left behind, to his consternation he saw the Declaration of Independence, which had been overlooked, hanging upon the wall. He hastily cut it out of the frame and carried it away with the other papers.

He then began to be uneasy about the place he had chosen, for if the British took Washington, which he firmly believed they would do, and very soon at that, they would in all probability detach a force for the purpose of destroying a foundry for the making of cannon and shot in the neighborhood and, of course, would consider a grist mill too valuable a thing to be left standing in a country they meant to subdue. Mr. Pleasanton therefore visited some of the Virginia farmhouses, whose owners were only too willing to loan him wagons in which to convey the documents to Leesburg, a distance of thirty-five miles. There they were deposited in an empty house, the keys of which were given to Rev. Mr. Littlejohn, who was one of the collectors of internal revenue.

Worn out with his labors, Mr. Pleasanton states in a letter, he retired early to bed that night and slept soundly. Next morning he was informed by the people of the little town where he had stayed that evening that they had seen during the night, the same being the 24th of August, a large fire in the direction of Washington, which proved to be the light from the public buildings, which the enemy had set on fire and burned to the ground.

When he returned to Washington on the 26th he found the public buildings still burning and learned that the British army had evacuated the city the preceding evening in the belief that the Americans were again assembling in the rear for the purpose of cutting off their retreat.—Kansas City Times.

"It was well said that man has no greater enemy than himself."—Firenze.

Republicans Vote For  
**George Washington Irwin,**  
OF  
**Highland Township**  
FOR  
**Director of Poor.**

Mr. Irwin is a veteran of the Civil War. Has had experience in the above office and is worthy of your support.

## GOT THE WRONG CUE.

Tom Keene Didn't Give the Same One McCullough Did.

When Tom Keene took long tours through the northwest, where tragedy is still in favor, he used to keep his company down in numbers on account of the jumps and the high railroad fares, writes Drury Underwood. There were various ways of doing this, such as by doubling and by putting a tin suit on the electrician now and then. One play had a long cast, however, and the advance agent was instructed to pick up some local man for one of the "bits." Keene arrived in a one night stand and made his way to the theater to meet the recruit for the play in question. He introduced himself to the manager and explained the situation. The local dignitary said: "That has been arranged, Mr. Keene. Jones, the house property man, is going to play the part. I'll send for him."

Jones appeared presently. He yawned and stretched his arms continually, putting two or three gaps in every sentence. The part consisted of two lines, but on them hung the vital situation of the play. Keene sized Jones up for his wardrobe and then asked him if he was ready to rehearse.

"No," said Jones. "I played the part with McCullough twice."

That seemed promising, and Keene was satisfied. The particular scene of the performance came, and Keene, looking into the wings, saw Jones yawning and stretching. He gave him the speech for his entrance, but Jones did not budge. He repeated it without success and then had to fake the scene, which fell flat, ruining the performance. Keene came off the stage in a fury and spluttered, "Why didn't you come on when you saw me waiting there?"

"Didn't get my cue," said Jones.

"I gave it to you twice."

"Not the cue McCullough gave me."

"What cue did he give you?"

"Come on, you Idaho sausage."

### He Knew Him.

The year the Chicago Cubs won their first world's championship a crazy mob of enthusiasts pursued Frank Chance, trying to raise him on their shoulders. Chance struggled to free himself. A big, red faced man, purple from rooting, beat the manager on the back and yelled, "Don't you know me, Frank?"

"Yep," replied Chance coolly. "You're the fellow who hit me on the head with a lemon last fall when the Sox beat us."

### Testing the Dose.

On a wet and bitter night in winter old Dr. B. was summoned from his snug home to attend a farmer threatened with pneumonia. The farmer's wife, a little woman resembling a scared bird, reported that the patient



### THEN DRANK IT OFF.

called for hot punch, but that she awaited the doctor's permission before giving it.

"Make it," said Dr. B. "Make it as soon as you can, strong and hot, and let me see it."

The little woman soon fluttered in with the smoking punch. The doctor took it from her hands, examined it, smelled it, then drank it off and smacked his lips in critical satisfaction.

"Exactly," he said. "Give your husband one just like it, only half as much."—Lippincott's.

### The Widow's Complaint.

"Yes," said a sad eyed man. "I married the widow of a man who was hanged, and I thought that under the circumstances there would be no comparisons in connection with the late lamented, but I was mistaken."

"Did she praise him just the same?" rejoined his friend.

"Well, not exactly," was the reply. "But we had not been married a week before she declared that hanging was too good for me."

### Honors Were Even.

When the members of a Greek letter society in Barnard college were initiating two girl neophytes into frat mysteries just before last commencement exercises, one junior, who was obeying orders, waited until a street car on Broadway, New York, had passed her and then chased it for a block, waving her hand and calling frantically to the conductor, who at last held up his car, the eyes of all the passengers were on the flushed young woman. Then, instead of boarding the car, the initiate defiantly lifted her skirt, placed a small foot on the car step and calmly as possible tied her shoe, taking her time to it. This done, she smiled prettily at the conductor and walked away after sweetly saying "Thank you."

"No, miss," said the conductor, heartily: "I want to thank you."

### COMING EVENTS

Sept. 2, 3 and 4—Newark Singing Society tours.  
Sept. 4—Opening of Public Schools.  
Sept. 6—"The Girl in the Taxi". Wizard Theatre.  
Sept. 14—Along the Kennebec Wizard Theatre.

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## GROWING ALFALFA.

A reader of these notes who has succeeded in establishing a very thrifty three acre patch of alfalfa in a latitude and section where practically none of the legume has been thus far grown gives us some account of the method he followed, and we present it here in the idea that it may be helpful to some who have not had any experience with it. The patch in question had been in clover which was mowed in the spring and planted to corn the year before the alfalfa was sowed. In the fall the corn was harvested, and the following spring the patch was left until about June 1, when it was plowed, following the application of about seven tons of manure per acre. It was made fine with a harrow and dragged at intervals to germinate and destroy weed seed until the first week in August, when the seed was sown at the rate of twenty pounds per acre. Our friend broadcasted this, but is of the opinion that with a rather dry surface soil the drilling of the seed would give better germination. He further states that he did not take the precaution of inoculating the seed or soil, but believes it would be well worth while to do so. He made two cuttings of this alfalfa last season, made one the middle of June this year and will make a second in a few days. The patch yielded better than two tons per acre the first cutting, when timothy and clover meadows in the neighborhood were yielding a scant three-quarters of a ton of hay per acre. Our friend harvested no other crop from the patch the season when he started the patch, but believes sowing on a well manured stubble from which the grain has just been removed would give even better results than the plan he followed, as it would not result in the loss of a crop and the weed trouble would be no worse. In addition to the points mentioned, it is well to make note of two or three other factors on which success in growing alfalfa depends. One of these is a well drained subsoil in which the water table does not lie nearer than five or six feet to the surface. A porous subsoil is preferable, but it should not be gravelly. If possible poultry should have the range of the alfalfa patch, as in a dry year grasshoppers are very likely to gobble the young plants. Sometimes the soil may be sour, in which case it should be sweetened by the application of two or three tons of ground limestone per acre disked in before sowing the seed. Good seed costs a round price, but nevertheless nothing but the best should be used, for in the long run it is economical. The growing of alfalfa is not difficult if a few simple directions are followed. We believe the benefits accompanying the growing of it have not begun to be appreciated in a great many sections where its fertility restoring mission is badly needed.

## ENSILAGE AS A RATION FOR STEERS.

It has been generally conceded for years past that the silo is a proper adjunct of the dairy in providing a succulent ration for winter. Not until recently, however, has it also come to be realized as just as valuable an aid in fitting steers for market. The Indiana experiment station at Purdue has carried on feeding tests with silage for several years past and has lately published the data gathered. Among facts which should be of value to every feeder of steers, it was found that when corn silage was added to a ration of shelled corn, cottonseed meal and clover hay the result was a more rapid as well as a cheaper gain and a higher finish on the cattle; that cattle fed corn silage shed their coats earlier in the spring; that a smaller quantity of grain was consumed when silage was fed; that steers receiving cottonseed meal and corn silage fattened more rapidly, required less finish distributed the fat more evenly and brought a higher market price than similar cattle that did not receive the two feeds. In feeding operations carried on during the winter of 1908-9 it was found that corn had the following values when fed in combination with the following feeds: With clover hay, 73.1 cents; with clover hay and cottonseed meal, 79.3; with clover hay, cottonseed meal and corn silage, 85.8 cents, and with cottonseed meal and corn silage, 96.7 cents per bushel.

## TWO IMPORTANT CONDITIONS.

Two points are important in the successful canning of vegetables, such as peas and corn—the thorough sterilizing of the product in the can by boiling in the sealed containers in a boiler with rack beneath cans for about three hours, and, second, having covers that are absolutely air tight. Many a housewife has worked hard over a hot fire to put up these vegetables only to find in a few days that the cans were fermenting (bacteria working) and all her work gone for naught. This condition is due to one of the two things referred to—failure to properly kill all bacterial life by boiling or leaky covers which admitted bacteria after the cans had cooled. In the putting up of corn, if one does not wish to run the risk of canning, an excellent method is cooking the corn on the cob for about twenty minutes, cutting from cob, then mixing salt with the corn at the rate of one part to four of corn and packing in open stone jars, covering with cloth and plate, as one would salted cucumber pickles. Such pickled corn has to be freshened, but the tenderness and flavor are preserved very well in the process.

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